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Victoria, February 11th, 1880.
fe11 W. POLLARD, Secty.

LOWHEE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THIS COMPANY HAVING BEEN DISSOLVED and the property sold, shareholders will be paid their proportion of the assets on surrender of their Certificates to
CHARLES WILSON.
Barkerville, B. C. Jan 12, 1880. fe8dw1m

WAVERLY HYDRAULIC MINING COMPANY, LIMITED

Location of Works, Grouse Creek, Cariboo.

ASSESSMENT No. 5.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company held on the 2nd day of January, 1880, an assessment of Fifty Cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable forthwith to Charles Wilson, Secretary, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on 4th day of Febry, 1880, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction and, unless payment be made before, will be sold on the 10th day of March, 1880, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.
Barkerville, B. C., Jan. 3d 1880. ja20dw

ENTERPRISE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

THERE IS DELINQUENT UPON THE FOLlowing stock on account of Assessment No. 7 levied on the 3rd day of December, 1879, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respectiv shareholders, as follows:—

Name.	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amount
Armstrong, W. W	408-414	146	29
Alexander, J. J.	610	27	5 40
Alexander, R. H.	611	27	5 40
Brodie, C.	719	33	6 60
Bigelow, D. J.	543	66	13 20
Boyd, J.	709	266	53 20
Bibby, J.	737	233	46 60
Craig, J.	569	100	20 00
Chipp, J.	582-635	132	26 40
Carson, A.	587-8	133	26 60
Cal. Powder Works	697	66	13 20
Clay, S.	764	400	80 00
Charles, Wm.	761	133	26 60
Croasdaile, H. E.	763	75	15 00
Cowan, G.	766-9	533	106 60
Dunlevy, P. C.	457-462	332	66 40
Dorman, W. H.	476-186	522	104 40
Duhig, D. D.	529	33	6 60
Dixon, C. W.	530	12	2 60
Dugan, C. E.	694-5	40	8 00
Douglas & Deighton	431	53	10 60
Devlin & Rodenbach	567	147	29 40
Elwyn, T.	778	133	26 60
Fleming, J.	629	100	20 00
Forrest, W.	572-663	266	53 20
Fraser, W.	533-535	150	30 00
Featherstone, H.	741	33	6 60
Goodenow, A. L.	575	133	26 60
Hawks, J. F.	446-456	522	104 40
Hammond, S. W.	464	13	2 60
Henderson, J.	568	66	13 20
Haas Bros.	721	66	13 20
Haley, J.	746-8	133	26 60
Haggerty, M.	751	33	6 60
Harris, B.	777	13	2 60
Jones, W. L.	465, 561-5	333	66 60
Jones, W. M.	644	108	21 60
Johnstone, W. A.	621, 624-7, 710, 735	601	120
Jay, G.	488	66	13 20
Kirkpatrick, I.	712	133	26 60
Lenz, M.	400	10	2 00
Lindsay, A.	216, 580, 762	299	59 80
Lenti, O.	781	133	26 60
Lindsay, D.	734, 762	132	26 40
Morton, C.	559	66	13 20
Moses, W. D.	584	66	13 20
McLeese, R.	509-3, 711	533	106 60
McPhail, A.	628	66	13 20
McDonald, P.	525	133	26 60
McQuade, L.	647-650	100	20 00
Mason, J.	723-732	466	93 20
Nason, I. B.	601-611	967	139 40
O'Neill, C. P.	370	133	26 60
Pratt, D.	574	133	26 60
Polmare, J.	249,659,743	266	53 20
Reid, Jas.	516 524	233	46 60
Ross, H.	537-540	200	40 00
Rhodes, H.	637	67	13 40
Smith, Mrs. McB.	403	13	2 60
Stone, J.	358-9	50	10 00
Stevenson, J.	577	637	127 40
Skinner, R. J.	618	66	13 20
Sheridan, W.	630	66	13 20
Truman, G.	469-470	66	13 20
Tuttle, G.	531	40	8 00
Thompson, J. S.	560,631 3		
do	753-4	900	180 00
Towns, C.	595-9	333	66 60
Woolcock, H.	579, 580	133	26 60
Wriglesworth, J.	700	13	2 60
Wangenheim & Co.	720	66	13 20
Ward, R. T.	755	13	2 60

And in accordance with law so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at the Company's office, Langley street, Victoria, on the 10th day of February, 1880, at 12 noon, to cover assessments due and costs and expenses of sale.

ja4dw W. POLLARD, Secretary.

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NOTICES.

Victoria Battery Garrison Artillery.

A SCHOOL OF ARMS HAS BEEN ESTABLISHed in connection with the Battery. Members desiring to enter the school are requested to give their names and pay their entrance fee to either one of the Provisional Committee of Management, being the officers and non-commissioned officers of the battery.

Members of other corps of the Active Militia can enter the school on special terms. The material necessary for the school has been imported from England. Boxing, Fencing, Single-stick, Broadsword and Bayonet Exercise will be taught. It is hoped all the members of the Battery will become members of the school. On Monday evening next, after lecture, the Permanent Committee of Management will be elected by the votes of those members of the Battery who may have joined the school.

C. T. DUPONT, Captain,
Chairman Provisional Committee.
Victoria, Dec. 11, 1879. de12

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE FIRM OF Smith & Matthews are requested to call and settle before the last day of February, or their accounts will be placed in the hands of a collector for collection.

SMITH & MATTHEWS,
Boot and Shoe Makers.
Victoria, Jan. 15th, 1880. ja15

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned as Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors and Notaries, under the style of "Robertson & Johnson," is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. A. Rocke Robertson will wind up the joint business. All persons indebted to the late firm are requested to pay their accounts to him without delay.

Victoria, B.C., 10th Jan., 1880.
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
ja15 EDWIN JOHNSON.

A LEGAL CARD.

HAVING WITHDRAWN FROM MY RECENT partnership, I beg to inform my friends and clients that I intend to resume business on my own account as a

BARRISTER-AT-LAW, SOLICITOR & NOTARY,

And shall open an office and make other necessary arrangements as soon as possible.

EDWIN JOHNSON.
Victoria, B.C., 15th Jan., 1880. ja15dw

APPLICATION FOR A PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ITHIEL Blake Nason, Joseph Mason, William Rennie, Alfred Dow, John Glasson and others, Trustees for a Company about to be incorporated under the name of the "Waverly Hydraulic Mining Company, Limited," will apply at the ensuing session of the Provincial Legislature for an Act granting to them and their assigns the right to take, divert and use one thousand inches of the water of Antler Creek, to be taken from a point between Sawmill Flat and the old town of Antler, and to be conveyed in ditches and flumes along Antler Creek and to the mining ground of the Waverly Company on Grouse Creek, including the waters of the creeks and ravines along the line of the ditch. Also, for the right to take, divert and use one thousand inches of the water of Grouse Creek, to be taken from a point above the Waverly ground, and to be conveyed to the said ground; and for rights of way for the conveyance of all such waters; all such waters to be used for mining purposes, and the rights to be granted for a term of fifty years.

Dated 22nd January, A.D. 1880.
DAVIE & POOLEY,
ja23 2m Solicitors for the Applicants.

APPLICATION FOR PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ITHIEL Blake Nason, Joseph Mason, William Rennie, William Forrest and Charles Wilson will apply at the ensuing session of the Provincial Legislature for an Act of Parliament granting to them and their assigns the right to divert and use five thousand inches of water, to be taken from the Little Cariboo Lake or the North Branch of the Quesnel River, or from both sources, at a point at or near the locality where the waters of the said Lake fall into the said North Branch of the Quesnel River, including the right to take, divert and use the waters of Spanish Creek, all such waters so appropriated to be conveyed in ditches and flumes along the hills, banks and benches of the said North Branch of the said River to a point on the said North Branch ten miles below the outlet of the said Lake, and for the right to construct such ditches and flumes along the said hills, banks and benches, with liberty to extend the said ditches and flumes and the conveyance of the said waters along the whole length of the said North Branch to the Main Quesnel River, and for rights of way for the said ditches and flumes and conveyance of the said waters, such privileges to be granted for a term of fifty years, the water to be used for mining purposes and the grantees and their assigns to have the right of sale of the water.

Dated 10th December, 1879.
DAVIE & POOLEY,
de11dw Solicitors for the Applicants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE APplication for the waters of Spanish Creek is hereby withdrawn.

Dated 22nd January, 1880.
ja23dw DAVIE & POOLEY.

THE ABOVE NAMED APPLICANTS WILL FURther apply for the right to extend the ditches and conveyance of water along the main Quesnel river to such points as may be desirable, and give notice that the bank of the North Branch along which it is intended to take the water is the Right bank.

Dated 2nd February, 1880.
fe3 DAVIE & POOLEY.

NOTICE

In the Estate of James Burns, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and any persons who have claims against the said Estate are required to forward the same on or before the 20th day of April next to Mr. Joseph Dwyer, of Victoria, the Executor, or to

MESSRS. DAVIE & POOLEY,
Langley street, Victoria, Solicitors to the Executor.
Dated Victoria, 20th January, 1880. ja21dw

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER

OF THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLumbia, in Equity, made in the matter of the Estate of HENRY RHODES and in a cause *Naylor vs. Jackson and als.*, the creditors of HENRY RHODES, late of Victoria, in British Columbia, Merchant, who died on or about the 8th day of November, 1879, are, on or before the 18th day of March, 1880, to send by post prepaid to J. C. Prevost, Esq., Supreme Court House, Victoria, British Columbia, their Christian and Surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Henry S. Mason, Esquire, of Victoria, has been appointed Receiver of the said Estate, and all persons having any of the effects or moneys of the said Estate in their possession, custody or power, are to deliver or pay the same to him forthwith.

Dated this 16th day of December, 1879.
ROBERTSON & JOHNSON,
de18 Plaintiff's Solicitors, Langley St., Victoria.

NOTICE.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE EXCEPTIONAL state of the weather, the prices of HAY and TURNIPS as advertised by the undersigned on the 25th December, are at present date withdrawn, with the exception of contracts already undertaken.

Prices still exceedingly moderate; but largely dependent upon quantity taken and distance to be delivered.

THOMAS LEE,
Crofter's Dairy Farm.
January 11th, 1880. ja11

In the Matter of David Heal, an Insolvent.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THIS ESTATE are hereby notified that the amounts due by them must be paid at the office of J. R. ANDERSON, Langley street, or at my office in Yates street.

THOS. H. TYE,
Trade Assignee.
Victoria, B.C., 16th Jan., 1880. ja17

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the late firm of John Goodacre & Co. are requested to present the same for settlement; and all who are indebted to the said firm are requested to pay their indebtedness forthwith. All accounts remaining unpaid after the 30th day of this month will be placed in the hands of a solicitor for collection.

JOHN GOODACRE & CO.
Jan. 3rd, 1880. ja4 1m

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THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S SPEECH.

A perusal of the synopsis of the Governor-General's speech in our columns yesterday must have afforded readers generally considerable satisfaction. The speech conveys the assurance (if any were wanting) that railway construction is certain to commence in this Province during the approaching summer. For some weeks past we have possessed information which has enabled us to express entire confidence in the good intentions of the Dominion; and now the speech positively commits the Government to the construction of the Emory-Savona section. The work is made a matter of Governmental policy which cannot be set aside by the House, nor can the money-vote necessary to effect the object be denied, without involving the downfall of the Government, which counts on strict party division—a majority of eighty-five in a House of 206 members. As a matter of fact, it is stated in the speech that the contracts have been awarded, which, it seems to us, ought to be a sufficient guarantee of the certainty of construction. There are a few, we know, in this city who still hug the delusion that the whole thing is a sham, and that at the last moment something will occur with the Government's connivance to upset the scheme and consign the country once more to the Slough of Despond. This class of individuals may be aptly termed the ravens of society, since they ever look on the dark side of all questions, and would still be found croaking if a railway line were to terminate in their backyards and their parlors were converted into railway ticketoffices. They are fitting examples of men whom POPE describes as never satisfied and always waiting to be blest. Down to three or four weeks ago we could not find it in our heart to scold the croakers Disappointment had been so frequent and bitter that distrust was most natural; but since that period prognosticators of evil should have been turned into prophets of great joy. The Dominion Government in awarding the contracts in British Columbia have carried out the behest of the House of Commons last session, and not the slightest fear need be entertained that the House will condemn the Government for obeying its instructions. The early arrival of the contractors in the Province will impart a new aspect to every interest, and we expect soon to find the class who gaze at the prospects of the country through spectacles of cerulean hue ardently engaged in painting rose-colored pictures of our future.

Mixed with the satisfaction which all should feel at the assurance conveyed by the speech there is reason for disappointment at the absence of all allusion to the Island railway and the drydock. With the Premier of the Province at Ottawa it was anticipated that he would have urged on the Dominion Government the importance of announcing, as a part of their policy, an intention to fulfil the CARNARVON Terms, or failing that, to build the drydock and grant a money subsidy to any company that might undertake the construction of the Esquimalt-Nanaimo railway. We are reluctantly forced to the conclusion that Mr. WALKEM's time while at Ottawa has been so absorbed with the arbitration court that he has not found it convenient to attend to duties of a public nature, upon which depend interests vitally affecting the well-being of British Columbia. So far as any good results are likely to flow from his trip to Ottawa, Mr. WALKEM might have remained at Victoria and continued to meddle and and muddle the Provincial statutes.

The public are glad to be informed that the Dominion is growing in population and that the revenue is expanding, for the prosperity of the Dominion means the prosperity of the Pacific Province. The intimation of an intention to revise the banking and currency systems may be understood, we think, as meaning that the Government propose to adopt a paper currency and recharter banks on the principle of the national banks of the United States. We should be thoroughly in accord with the adoption of a greenback currency for the purpose of pushing on the great works of internal improvement upon which the Dominion has entered. Every man, woman or child who might handle a greenback would thus contribute his or her *quota* towards developing and enriching the country—the people, in fact, would build the railway themselves.

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BERLIN UNDER THE NEW EMPIRE.

How the City Looks Through Mr. Vizetelly's Eyes.

As pictured in this book the city is the fitting head quarters of Home's "Tartuffe among nations," the true capital of the brand-new, iron-handed, brazen-headed Empire of craft and force. Its appearance is ostentatious and unprepossessing, pretentious and unattractive, garish and yet not brilliant. To the Viennese it is the "Sand box of Germany," to his own people it is the "Athens of the Spree." To the world at large the sandbox quality of Berlin is a great deal more apparent than the Athenian; and it has withal a mingled flavor of brutality and science, of pride and vulgarity, of poverty and annoyance peculiar to itself, and giving it a place apart among cities. Apparently, it is built of solid stones; actually, it is a town of stucco and plaster. Apparently, it was designed for the use of trade and society; actually, it is arranged for a military despotism and with an eye to the prompt suppression of revolution.

Apparently, it is universally educated, exceptionally intelligent, abnormally prosperous, preternaturally pious and obedient, content to be the centre of a grand military system; actually, its roughs are the worst in Europe, its press and its theatres are paltry and corrupt, its misery is excessive, it is a headquarters of political and theological scepticism. It numbers some sixty thousand male Socialists alone among its population. Apparently, it is supplied with all kinds of modern improvements, and governed and ordered on the purest modern principals; actually, it abounds in open debauchery; its [illegible] are scandalously bad and co[illegible]ess, its stenches are as gross and multitudinous as those that Coleridge counted in Cologne.

It is almost needless to add that every second person in Berlin is spectacled. Youth glances amorously at beauty through one pair of glasses and beauty returns the message coyly through another. The Prussian Cupid is not blind, but only short-sighted. Possibly this is the reason why he should be the keen hand he is at a bargain. Of course Berlin is not without a healthy city. Mr. Vizetelly confidently expects it to be one of these days the prey of a tremendous epidemic. There seems to be no money to spare on such a commonplace matter as sanitation. Sewers are useless from a military point of view, and not a penny of the £21,000,000 Prussia received as her share of the five milliards could be spent on anything wholesome.

The Berlinese are extremely thrifty. They live cheaply, an officer's dinner costing him no more than ninepence or a shilling; and as they have a hard struggle to make both ends meet, economy takes very severe shapes. Add to this that they are divided into castes, which castes are themselves divided into sections, which sections in their turn are subdivided into cliques, and it will be seen that the difficulties in the way of social intercourse are many and great. The Emperor is the all-highest; and after him in a genteel diminuendo, reminding one of the Mouse's Tale in *Alice in Wonderland*, his anxious subjects troop. Mr. Vizetelly professes to have seen a card inscribed with the style and dignity of the Royal Sweeperess of the Apartments; and declares that a shopman or domestic entering the service of a grocer during the whole course of his career has by some chance or other supplied the Royal Palace with a pound of coffee, will be compelled to address his master on every occasion as "Herr Hoflieferant—Purveyor to the Court." And then every male is privileged to extend the style he bears to his female, and it is etiquette to address them both by it in full. It will be noted how admirably the Emperor's well-known principles of Divine Right and the Authority of Kingship have come to caricature themselves. What is most Prussian and lamentable of all is, the little regard that, with all this straining after the shadow of birth and authority, is paid to good manners and even common decency. Your Prussian, says Mr. Vizetelly, is the most impolite of men. He may sentimentalize devotedly with a lady and quote pages of the hyperbolical rhetoric of German erotics to her, but he will not stir to open a door for her, or hand her a chair, or assist her with her cloak. Of the salon as it exists in Paris, of the drawing-room as it exists in London, Berlin knows next to nothing. Either its visits are purely formal or its meetings are manifestations of the caste spirit, and of little interest to anybody who is unattached to a particular group or a particular section. Sometimes Berlin dines solemnly; but Mr. Vizetelly declares that Berlin cooks badly and dines poorly. On the whole, this author is clear that society in Berlin is not only dull in itself, but singularly well qualified to be the cause of dullness in any one who gets into it.

Mr. Vizetelly is shockingly ungallant to the ladies of Berlin. He looked at them in vain, it appears, for a single classical nose; he is impolite enough to insist that in Berlin beauty has always big feet; and he declares that in dress she is garish, or she is dowdy, or she is both. Of the 50,000,000 gallons of beer, moreover, that is Berlin's annual brew, Beauty consumes a fair share. To the click-click of her knitting-needles she assimilates alike the music of Beethoven and the flatteries of her suitors; the comic songs of Helmerding and his imitators, the vows of aspirants to her little fortune and her fair large hand. Mr. Vizetelly has noted her in the Thiergarten, sumptuously apparelled and conversing with Generals and Counts; has viewed her eating peas and gravy with her knife, as all good Prussians do, and the outcome of his success is that he is not disposed to number himself among her admirers. Indeed, he seems to think that there is not much that is truly admirable in the Prussian capital; unless, perchance, it be its zoological collection and its fire-brigade. Perhaps he may be a little prejudiced; but whether he is historical, or picturesque, didactic or reflective, epitomizing the career of Bismarck or the Red Prince, or noting the manners and customs of the Berlin rough, he is always worth listening to, for he always speaks in such a tone as to convince you that he is speaking honestly, from competent observation. — *Pall Mall Gazette.*

American Mail.

[Per Steamer Isabel.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—The daughter of surveyor of the port Graham has secured the appointment of a guardian that she may sue her father for slander in charging her with being illegitimate and unchaste. The daughter is a variety actress. Her estrangement grew out of Graham's second marriage.

A sensation has been caused in Baltimore by the letter of Rev. Johann Hodge, Roman Catholic priest, to Archbishop Gibbons, resigning his pastorate, and stating that he renounced the Catholic faith, having embraced the Protestant religion.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 26.—Yesterday the Rev. Wm. Alvin Bartlett received into full connection with the Second Presbyterian Church the first class of Chinese ever admitted in the church in Indiana. They were four in number. For several years they have been attendants upon Sunday School, and have been soundly converted to the doctrines and faith of Christianity. E Wah is the leader and adviser of all the Celestials in Indianapolis, and his example will probably be followed by other Sunday School classes.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Jan. 25.—The citizens of Girardville are excited over the arrest of John Maguire at Welland, Ont. He was a leader in the Mollie Maguire association, and is charged with the murder of Thomas G. Wither, Justice of the Peace, in 1875. President Gowen, when prosecuting the Mollies, said all who had been guilty of murder would be brought to justice, no matter where they might flee. The arrest goes far to prove that assertion.

St. Paul papers announce as one result of Messrs. Read and Pell's visit to Minnesota, the sale of two hundred thousand acres by the St. Paul and Sioux City railway to the Land Colonization and Banking Company of London, England, at six dollars per acre, payable in three annual instalments.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5th—The *Tribune* says: The collapse of Mr. Parnell's quarrel with the *Herald*, which he began as soon as he stepped ashore, was absurd. The *Herald* knows a great deal more about this country than he does, and especially does it know a great deal more about the Irish in this country. It is not altogether ignorant of the condition of the Irish in Ireland. Yesterday it showed how much more practical it is than Parnell in its theories of Irish relief by heading a subscription list of its own with the munificent gift of $100,000. This princely gift compensates for contributions which Parnell's agitation has intercepted, and it is probable is the only good thing which has resulted from that gentleman's visit to America.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 30.—This afternoon Joseph Nester, blacksmith, severely cut his wrist, then drove a smith's scribe awl deeply into his breast. He then placed the awl to his forehead and with a hammer drove it home. At this point he was discovered. The attempt to pull the iron from his head failed. When his wife appeared he himself wrenched it from his forehead, where it had penetrated two inches. There is small chance of his recovery. Dissipation is assigned as the cause.

English Mail.

[Per Steamer Isabel.]

London *World*:—"The dress of Lady Mayoress of Dublin, at her inaugural reception, cost 125 guineas. Those who are disposed to make subdued hints about poverty in the sister isle should recollect, however, that this dress was of Irish manufacture."

Sir Ashton Dilke has at the last moment decided not to be a candidate against Mr. Walter in Berkshire, owing to an invitation to contest Newcastle-on Tyne. Politicians say that Mr. Walter meditates abandoning the Government, to again advocate Liberal ideas in his paper, the *Times*.

The true facts have been published concerning the tattooed nose of the Prince of Wales' son. The tattoo marks are pronounced to be made with cayenne pepper and to be wholly innocuous. The society journals are able to announce that the Prince of Wales is composed, and that sleep has again visited the eyelids of the Princess

THE *Weekly Bulletin* for January 28th contained an interesting account of a very aged and eccentric individual, a Lady Tuson, who died in the year 1816 at No. 9 Cold Bath Square, Clerkenwell, London. She possessed many dresses of great value, some of them historical relics. Lady Tuson had also some very fine china, among other things a pair of vases that belonged to Oliver Cromwell, of whom she claimed to be a lineal descendent. These vases are now in California, having been brought from England by their owner, Mrs. Ellen Browning of Anaheim, Los Angeles county. They were purchased by Mr. Browning's father-in-law at the sale by auction of Lady Tuson's effects, at her death in 1816. They are of antique Oriental china, of elegant and peculiar design. They are 27 inches in height and are surmounted by covers with dogs for handles. The painting on them is very fine. Such historical relics are rare things in California.

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The Tariff as revised by Order in Council dated 22d December, 1879, will come into operation on the 1st March next.

B. W. PEARSE,
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CHARLES J. PHILLIPS,
Chief Engineer V.F.D.
Victoria, Jan. 28th. ja29

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MRS. THOMAS HODGES.
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LECTURE.

MR. F. BAILEY
WILL LECTURE AT CENTRAL HALL FOR five successive Sundays, commencing Sunday, Jan. 18th, 1880, at 3 p. m. Subject—"The Necessity of a Second Reformation," pointing out the defects of the former.
Victoria, Jan. 17th, 1880. ja17

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THE BILLIARD ROOM IN CONNECTION WITH
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fe1 JOHN WILSON.

PARTNERSHIP DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned as proprietors of the St. Charles Hotel and St. Charles Hall, in the City of Victoria, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be carried on by Julius V. Wangenheim, who has purchased the interest of the said Daniel McKenzie therein. All debts due from the partnership will be paid by Julius V. Wangenheim, and all debts due to the firm will be collected by him.
JULIUS V. WANGENHEIM.
DAN. McKENZIE.
Witness—A. ROCKE ROBERTSON. fe5

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CARD OF THANKS.

THE UNDERSIGNED DESIRE TO RETURN their sincere thanks to the Fire Department, Police and Citizens for successful efforts to save their property from destruction by fire this morning.
VIGELIUS BROS.
Feb. 5, 1880. fe6

THANKS.

THE UNDERSIGNED TENDERS HIS SINCERE thanks to the Fire Department, Police and Citizens for their valuable aid in preventing the destruction of his property by fire this morning.
JOHN WENGER,
Government street.
Feb. 5th, 1880. fe6

MRS. E. DICKINSON
WILL REOPEN HER
MONDAY EVEN'G CLASS, CHANGED TO THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 5TH,
AND FRIDAY EVENING CLASS ON FEB. 6TH,
At her residence, Broughton street, second door from Government street.
ja30

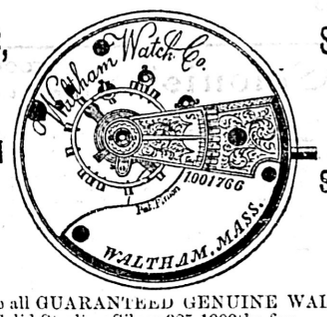
NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other payments to be made to me.
jy30 LD. LOWENBERG.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WALTHAM WATCHES,
—AT—
C. REDFERN'S, GOVERNMENT STREET,
WHO HAS BEEN APPOINTED BY THE COMPANY
SOLE AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.

KEY WINDERS, —IN— SOLID STERLING SILVER CASES, $15 AND UPWARDS.



STEM WINDERS AND SETTERS —IN— SOLID STERLING SILVER CASES, $20 AND UPWARDS.

These Watches are all GUARANTEED GENUINE WALTHAM MANUFACTURE and the Cases Solid Sterling Silver 925-1000ths fine.
THE SAME MOVEMENTS IN GOLD CASES AT VERY LOW PRICES.
ja10 A LIBERAL DISCOUNT TO THE TRADE.

BOOTS! BOOTS! BOOTS!
SHOES! SHOES! SHOES.
3,000 PAIRS OF
Boots & Shoes
JUST RECEIVED
AT THE
CITY
BOOT AND SHOE STORE,
FELL'S BLOCK, FORT STREET.

The undersigned beg to mention that they have just received per steamship Empire the largest and finest invoice of Boots and Shoes ever imported into the Province, which they will sell at
PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
Our Stock comprises all the Latest Styles, such as Ladies' High Cut French Kid Laced Boots, French Kid Side Button Boots, French Kid Side Laced Boots, French Make white Ball Gaiters, French Make White Ball Slippers, Princess Louise Slipper, Gipsy Star Slipper, Gipsy Tie Slipper, Newport Shoe, Derby Buckle Shoe, Ladies' Toilet Slipper (something beautiful), Sara Bernhardt Plaid Cloth Top Boots, Ladies' Felt Shoes (buttoned and laced), Ladies' Skating Boots, Ladies' English Waukenphasts, Ladies' Calf Boots (buttoned and laced), Gents' Boots and Shoes in great variety, Gents' Fancy Slippers of all descriptions (something new), Boys', Children's and Infants' Shoes without end, White Kid Elastic Side Boots (slightly damaged on voyage, from 50 cents a pair upwards). Also, a choice assortment of French Calf Kip, French Kid and Frncy Shoe Uppers, imported expressly for our own trade.
Parties desiring Custom-made Boots will do well to examine our stock. Gents' Boots and Shoes of all descriptions made to order; also, Ladies' and Children's.
REPAIRING done in style and at short notice.
MAYNARD & STUBBS, Fort St.
P. O. Box No. 75. fe7

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
—AND—
SHIPPING AGENTS,
EXECUTE ON FAVORABLE TERMS
INDENTS
FOR ALL CLASSES OF
ENGLISH, CANADIAN, AMERICAN & CHINESE
MERCHANDISE.
ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS.
THOMAS LETT STAHLSCHMIDT,
CRACECHURCH BUILDINGS, LONDON.
Fire, Life and Marine Insurance Agency.
WHARF STREET, VICTORIA, 31st January, 1880. fe1

CLOSING OUT SALE!
—OF—
"ARGYLE HOUSE,"
Shotbolt's Brick Building, Johnson Street.
The above business having been entrusted to me for disposal, I am now offering the Stock of
MEN'S CLOTHING OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,
AND EVERY VARIETY OF DRY GOODS
AT A GREAT SACRIFICE!
CALL AND EXAMINE FOR YOURSELVES! THE COUNTERS AND FIXTURES FOR SALE
THE SALE WILL BE BUT OF SHORT DURATION.
ja25 2w ARTHUR BULLOCK.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS!
OLYMPIA, COMOX, SAMISH.

JOE. LEVY
IS THE SOLE AGENT IN VICTORIA for the above-named delicious bivalves and is better prepared than ever to supply them fresh from their beds at the following prices:—
PER QUART, OPEN, ... 75 CENTS
PER BUCKET, IN THE SHELL, ... 75 CENTS
From the smallest quantity to a hundred sacks, delivered to any part of the City Free of Charge.
FAMILIES, RESTAURANTS, & THE TRADE SUPPLIED
NOTE THE ADDRESS:
JOE. LEVY,
ARCADE OYSTER SALOON
GOVERNMENT ST., NEAR JOHNSON.
oct2 5m

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
R. C. JANION
BEGS TO ANNOUNCE THAT HE HAS REmoved to his own premises on
STORE STREET,
Recently occupied by Messrs. Henry Rhodes & Co., where his business will in future be conducted.
ja16 1m

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
S. SHORE & CO.
GROCERS,
HAVING REMOVED TO THE FINE BRICK Building lately occupied by MRS. HODGES,
CORNER PANDORA & DOUGLAS STS.,
Will continue business, selling at the LOWEST MARKET PRICES.
BEST FAMILY GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FEED, ETC., ALWAYS ON HAND.
Goods Delivered Free to all parts of the City.
ja27 1m

$66 a week in your own town. Terms and $5 outfit free Address H. HALLETT & Co., Portland Maine. de16dw1y

YEE SING CO.,
LILLOOET, B. C.
PONG GEE HAS SOLD ALL HIS INTEREST IN the business carried on at Lillooet, Province of British Columbia, to LAY FOO, who will pay all debts due by YEE SING CO. and will receive all debts due the same up to date. The business will in future be carried on under the name of YEE SING CO.
PONG GEE,
LAY FOO.
Lillooet, 1st Jan., 1880. fe3dw1m

ACCOUNT & MEMORANDUM BOOKS
IN GREAT VARIETY AT
THE COLONIST STATIONERY STORE
Next the Postoffice.

$72 A WEEK. $12 a day at home easily made. Costly Outfit free. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine. de16dw1y

VICTORIA DIVIS. NO. 1, SONS OF TEMPERANCE
MEETS EVERY FRIDAY EVENING AT 7:30 o'clock, at their Hall, Yates street mh1

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SATURDAY MORNING, FEB. 14TH, 1880.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Feb. 13—Sch Mist, Pt Townsend
Str Beaver, Nanaimo
Str Woodside, Sooke

CLEARED.

Feb. 13—Str Beaver, Nanaimo
Str Woodside, Sooke

CONSIGNEES OF GOODS ON THE WAY.

Per bk CASMA, cleared from Liverpool Aug. 29th for this port via Honolulu—Stahlschmidt & Ward, R C Janion, Turner, Beeton & Co, Hy Rhodes & Co, DW D P McQuade & Son, Matthews, Richards & Tye, T Shotbolt, Brown & White, Hudson Bay Co, Fellows & Roscoe, Welch, Rithet & Co, Burns & Edwards.

Per bk SYLHET, cleared from Liverpool, Oct. 27th for this port—Stahlschmidt & Ward, Welch, Rithet & Co, R C Janion, W Jones, Matthews, Richards & Tye, Rickman & Ofner, Geo Mansell, Turner, Beeton & Co, Fellows & Roscoe, D W Higgins.

DEATHS.

In this city, on the 13th inst., of congestion of the lungs, George Dyer, a native of Brighton, England, aged 36 years.

FAMILY MARKET REPORT.

SATURDAY MORNING, Feb. 14.

BUTTER—Prime Island, 37½@50c ⅌lb; Medium, 25@30c.; New Grass Cal., 50c.
CREAM—12½c.⅌lb.
CHEESE—Canadian, 30c.⅌lb.; Harris', Maple Ridge, 25c.; Cala., 20c.; East. Cream, 30c
EGGS—Island, 62½c.⅌doz.(scarce); Imported, 50c.
CORNMEAL—62½c.⅌sack of 10lb.
FLOUR—Extra, $7 50@7 75 ⅌ brl.; Super, $5 37½@$5 50 ⅌ brl.
WHEAT—2@2½c.⅌lb.
BEANS—5c.⅌lb.
SPLIT PEAS—12½c.⅌lb.
VEGETABLES—Potatoes, 1@— c. ⅌lb; Turnips, 3c. ⅌lb; Onions, 4c.⅌lb; Carrots, 1c.⅌lb; Broccoli, 6c. ea; Cabbage, 3c⅌lb.
BACON—Breakfast, Heywood's Gilt Edge, 18c. ⅌lb; Gosnell's, 18c; Oregon, 16@18c.
HAMS—Home Cured, Heywood's,(new)20c.⅌lb; Chicago, 20c.; Oregon, 18c; Shoulders, 12½c.
LARD—Tub, 16c.⅌lb; Chicago, 20c.
FISH—Cod, 6c. ⅌ lb; Salmon, 10 c. ⅌ lb; Boneless Cod,16c; Soles, 6c; Halibut, 10c; Yarmout-Bloaters, 25c. ⅌ doz.; Salt Salmon, 12½c. ⅌lb; Herring, 3c.; Sal.Trout, 12c.; Smoked Oolachans and Salmon, 12½c.; Smelt, 6c.; Sal-Oolachans, 5c.; Sturgeon, 6c; Whiting, 8c. Bloaters, 8c.; Flounder, 6c.; Shrimps, 37½c.
CANNED SALMON—1lb tins, per doz., $2.
FRUIT—Lemons, 75c. ⅌ doz.; Oranges, 75c. ⅌ doz.; Limes, 25c ⅌ doz.; Apples, 4@5c.⅌lb; Los Angelos Lemons,75c.⅌ dz; Grapes, — c.⅌lb; Pears, 4c.; Quinces,6c ⅌lb; Cranberries, 37½c. ⅌gal
DRIED APPLES—12½@15c.⅌lb.
CANDIED FRUITS Lemon Citron and Orange 50c.⅌lb.
CURRANTS—Zante 15@16c⅌lb.
RAISINS—English Layers, 33½c ⅌ lb.; Cala., 25c. Sultana, Valencia and Eleme, 25c.
FIGS—New, 50c.⅌lb.
MIXED SPICES—25c.⅌ tin.
TEA & COFFEE—Coffee, ground, 50c. ⅌ lb; green, 28c.⅌lb; Tea, from 37½c. to $1 25 ⅌ lb.
SUGARS—Crushed or Cube, 5lbs. for $1; Granulated or No. 1, 5lbs. for $1; D or No. 2, 6lbs. for $1.
NUTS—Eng. Walnuts, 20c.⅌lb; Cocoanuts, 12½.ea; Almonds—Paper Shell, 37½c.; Jordan, 75c.; Brazil, 37½c. Chestnuts, 37½c.; Cocoanuts, 12½c. ea.
ROLLED SPICED BEEF—12½c.⅌lb.; Ox Tongues 75c. ea.; Smoked Tongues, $1 ea.
BEEF—Choice Cuts, 12½c. ⅌ lb; other cuts, 7@10c. Soup meat, 5@10c.
MUTTON—Choice Joints, 10@12½c.; Stewing meat, 8c.
PORK & VEAL—Same prices as mutton.
SAUSAGES—(Heywood's) 12½@25c. ⅌lb.
SUET—10c.⅌lb.
CHICKENS—62½@75c. ea.
TURKEYS—25c. ⅌lb.
DUCKS—Teal, 37½c. ⅌ pr.; Mallard, 62½@75c.
GEESE—Wild, 75c.@$1 ea.; Tame, 25c. ⅌lb.
RABBITS—62½@75c. ea.
GROUSE—62½c ⅌ pr; Quail, 37½c.@pr.; Snipe,10 for 25c.
VENISON—Pickled, 7c.⅌lb.
COAL OIL—$2 75 ⅌ tin; ⅌ case, 25.
OYSTERS—75c. ⅌ quart.
HAY—$20 per ton.
OATS—$30 per ton.
MIDDLINGS—$35 per ton.
BRAN—$27 50 per ton.

TO BUSINESS MEN!

THE COLONIST has more than double the Circulation of any other Paper published in Victoria, and is the only Publication in the Province that receives Telegraphic Dispatches.

A Remarkable Libel Suit.

The evidence adduced in the course of the trial of the latest libel suit in which the Toronto *Globe* was concerned was of a very extraordinary character. Proceedings were instituted against the *Globe* by Patrick Boyle, editor of the *Irish Canadian*, who claimed $10,000 as damages alleged to have been sustained by him through the publication of an article charging the plaintiff with having received a bribe of $3,000 to withdraw a tender for the execution of the departmental printing at Ottawa. There were seven tenders in all, and the highest carried off the prize—the six lowest having been withdrawn. It came out in evidence that Mr. Boyle was offered $3,000 to withdraw his tender, and that he declined to accept it, asserting that the transaction would be dishonorable; that subsequently he was induced by two professed friends to withdraw his bid without any consideration whatever and that the $3,000 was then pocketed by his "friends" who confessed on the stand that the plaintiff did not share in the transaction or know of it until the proceedings for libel had been instituted. As is usual in such cases the matter was left to the jury by the learned judge after a short charge. The jury was absent one hour when they returned with a verdict for the defendant, and poor Mr. Boyle who did not share in the bribe and was unaware that he had been used to extort money from the contractors, is mulct in the heavy costs of the trial.

NEWSPAPERS VS. DRUMMERS.—At a recent convention of the stove manufacturers held at Detroit, Mich., the President said;—"It would make the best possible use of our money if we should patronise ably conducted and responsible newspapers. The newspaper is immeasurably the best medium open to our trade; the most liberal and expert advertisers testify to its value, and in the employment of its columns we would find a means of escape from wasteful, undignified, and ineffective methods."

THE steamer Princess Louise sailed at 8 a.m. yesterday for New Westminster with the mails and the following passengers: Mrs. Simpson, Miss L. Peers, Miss Odin, Capt. J. Irving and Messrs. J. Sehl, J. B. McGilvray, J. Griffin, W. N. Bole, J. Simpson, C. Conley, Charles Miller. McCartney, T. Charles, Mignone Guido and others.

THE steamer Otter went round to Esquimalt yesterday to lighter the Victoria freight ex bark Lady Head.

Supreme Court.

(Before Chief Justice Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie.)

FRIDAY, Feb. 13.

Regina vs. Ah Hay—This was an application made by Mr. H. C. Courtney for a writ of *habeas corpus* to quash the conviction of the Police Magistrate sentencing three Chinamen to three months' imprisonment with hard labor for unlawfully having in their possession thirteen fowls, the property of Capt. L. M. Starr, knowing them to have been stolen. The point raised was that having in possession property knowing it to have been stolen was not an offence defined by the statute under which the prisoners had been convicted, the words of the statute being "feloniously receiving knowing it to have been stolen." The Chief Justice overruled the objection on the grounds that possession was equivalent to receiving and consequently refused the application, thus sustaining the magistrate's conviction.

County Court.

(Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.)

FRIDAY, Feb. 10.

Bland vs. McFadden—This was an action for replevin, arising out of a distress for rent made by the defendant who was plaintiff's landlord. The defendant claimed that the suit had been brought in an irregular manner and through his attorney, Mr. Pollard, objected to the proceedings and declined to appear.

Mr. Theo. Davie, on behalf of the plaintiff, made an *ex parte* argument in favor of the proceedings, at the conclusion of which his Honor ruled that the plaintiff was entitled to proceed in the defendant's absence; but adjourned the case until Tuesday next to afford the defendant's counsel an opportunity to put in an appearance if he thought fit.

ODD FELLOWS HALL.—In the course of a few days the Odd Fellows will move into their new hall, situated on Douglas street between Johnson and Yates streets. The building is an ornament to the city and the arrangement of the various apartments is most convenient. The furnishers and plumbers are rapidly completing their contracts and the interior of the structure already presents a very pleasing appearance. Before the hall is formally opened two life-size female figures, beautiful specimens of artistic workmanship, will be placed in the spandrel over the main entrance. The figure on the left side will represent Strength, and in her right hand she will hold the emblematic oak branch. On the other side the figure will represent Peace, uplifting with her left hand the olive branch. The figures will be placed in recumbent positions and uniting them will be the three links indicative of Friendship, Love and Truth. The drawings for these works of art were designed by Mr. John Teague, architect of the building, and the carving was executed in a faultless manner by Messrs Byrant & Hoffman of San Francisco, the most eminent wood-carvers on the Pacific coast. Both in model and finish the figures are altogether superior to any carvings hitherto received in this Province, and an idea of the labor and time involved in their completion may be formed from the fact that, landed here, they cost nearly $300.

THE RAILWAY DID IT. — Under the heading "A Wonderful Development," the Buffalo *Express* says: The City of Winnipeg, Manitoba, which ten years ago was a fort in the midst of a howling wilderness, now advertises for proposals for the construction of a combined railroad and wagon bridge of iron over the Red River at that point, to be eight hundred feet long, with a draw for the passage of steamers. In all the wonderful history of progress on this continent there has been nothing more wonderful than the growth of the Red River country of the north in the last five years.

A NEW STEAMER.—The new steamship Columbia, now building a Philadelphia by John Roach for the Oregon Steamship Company, will leave there soon for this coast. August Reichman, late first officer of the steamer Oregon, who was also second officer on the steamer State of California on her trip out, has left for Philadelphia to bring the new steamer out. The Columbia will be one of the finest steamers ever sent to this coast. She will be supplied with electric lights in both saloons and staterooms. The lights will be supplied by Edison and a small dynamic machine run by a donkey engine will generate the electricity.

MARINE.—The ship Ericsson, laden with Wellington coal for San Francisco, will pass down to-day in tow of the steamer Pilot....The British ship Bulwark, 1332 tons, Capt. Seator, left San Francisco on the 6th inst. for Burrard Inlet and will load at Hastings Mill for Sydney, Australia....The American barkentine L. R. Burnham, 673 tons, Capt. Phillips, sailed from San Francisco on the 4th inst. and will load at the same mill for Yokohama. ....The Bolivian bark Don Nicholas, 1085 tons, Capt. Bray, is on the way to Departure Bay where she will load Wellington coal for San Francisco.

TO BE PUMPED OUT.—It was discovered yesterday that the sleepers under the cover of the fire cistern at the intersection of Government and Yates streets are in a rotten condition and that in order to effect the necessary repairs the tank will have to be pumped out. Chief Engineer Phillips has therefore issued orders that the Deluge steam engine commence the task of emptying the tank at 8 o'clock this morning and at 10 o'clock it is expected sufficient water will have been pumped out to permit of an inspection of the interior wood work by the Street Committee.

THE CHINESE GAMBLING CASES. — The Chief Justice having remitted the Chinese gambling cases to the Police Magistrate, together with his opinion on the same, the matter will come up for final hearing to-day. Mr. Theo. Davie will appear for the prosecution and Mr. A. R. Robertson, Q. C., for the defendants.

BASTION SQUARE.—It is stated that the services of the chaingang are to be brought into requisition for grading and graveling Bastion square. The improvement is one that has long been needed, but it would involve too large an outlay for the Corporation to undertake.

BARK LADY HEAD.—This vessel discharged about 40 tons of powder at Esquimalt yesterday, 28 tons being for the navy-yard and the remainder for Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Co., of this city. All the freight appears to be in excellent condition.

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.—At the post-office preparations have been made for a busy day. A great many tender missives—and some rather tough ones—have been sold at the bookstores; but the sales do not reach those of last year.

Leap Year Party.

The ladies who in former years have attended the Ivy Club dances as guests of the members last evening turned the tables on their late hosts by entertaining them at a Leap Year party at Pavillion Hall. The fair hostesses issued the invitations, appointed the committees and manager from their number, and provided music, decorations and supper. The rules under which the party was conducted were as follows:

1. Gentlemen are requested to conduct themselves in a ladylike manner; therefore no gentleman will promenade alone or leave his seat unless escorted by a lady.

2. No gentleman shall invite a lady to dance.

3. Ladies will await the pleasure of the gentlemen at the door of the dressing room in order to escort them to the dancing hall.

4. Gentlemen are requested not to wear too long a train.

When through force of habit or from trepidation at the novelty of the situation one of the guests failed to observe either of the rules he was immediately reminded of the *contretemps* and "set right." The ladies were as impartial as possible in extending the courtesies of the dance to their guests; but despite all their care we observed a few wallflowers amongst the beaux, who sat looking very disconsolate in corners of the room with ample time afforded them to reflect upon their own remissness towards the fair sex in the years when the ladies were the guests and they the hosts. The decorations were very pretty, the most striking being a legend wrought in ivy leaves—"Gentlemen: Welcome to our Leap Year Party." Dancing was kept up until an early hour this morning when the gentlemen were escorted to their homes by the ladies. We heard of no instances of "Popping the Question."

San Francisco Stock Market.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Ophir 18⅞; Mex 16⅞; G & C 9½; B & B 9⅝; Cala 3.90; Savage 6; Con Va 3⅞; Chollar 6⅛; Potosi 4.15; H & N 5⅝; Point 4.60; Jacket 9½; Impl 60c; Alpha 9; Belcher 11⅝; S Nev 22½; Utah 13; Bullion 4.45; Exchequer 3; Overman 6½; Justice 1.65; Union 34¼; Alta 4.05; L Bryan 45; Julia 1.60; Caledonia 1.05; S Hill 1.35; Sheridan 20c; Leviathan 25c; N Hanaiza 55c; Chollar 6⅛; Alta 4.10.

GOODS ON THE WAY.—The bark Sylhet now on the way from Liverpool cleared with the following goods for Portland:—31 pkgs earthenware, 202 bxs tin plates 65 cases bottled beer, 92 gals B.P. spirits 16 gals B.C. spirit, 30 cases brandy in transit, 2 cases sheep dip, 50 cases condensed milk and coffee, 6 cks iron chains, 2 cks iron rings, 1 cks hardware, 1 case mirror, 1 csk curry combs. Value £1,124.

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S SPEECH.—On Thursday night the Western Union Telegraph offices all along the line were kept open until midnight to enable us to receive our exclusive dispatch of the Governor-General's Speech in time to lay it before our readers yesterday. The cost is very heavy; but we have pretty good reasons for knowing that the people appreciate enterprise.

CHIMNEY POTS.—Mr. M. Humber, builder and contractor, is about to add another branch to his business—that of manufacturing all kinds of chimney pots, the chief ingredient of which will be cement. Hitherto these articles have been imported; but in the near future home industry will supply the local demand.

THE steamer Maude left her wharf at 7 a.m. yesterday for Nanaimo and way ports with the mails and the following passengers: Mrs. L. Balister, Rev. Mr. Smith, Symonds, J. Morley, W. C. Robinson, E. J. Bitancourt, J. G. Pimbury and H. C. Wilson.

SHORE & Co., the family grocers, corner Douglas and Cormorant streets, have removed to the brick premises of Mrs. Hodges, corner of Douglas and Pandora streets. A large stock of choice goods always on hand. *

DUE.—The British bark Casma, 648 tons, Capt. R. Irving, consigned to Messrs. Stahlschmidt & Ward, with 500 tons of general merchandise from Liverpool *via* Honolulu, is now due at this port.

THE JANISSARIES OF LIGHT entertainment will come off at Philharmonic Hall Monday evening. The greatest possible care is being taken with the various pieces and we feel sure that the affair will prove very pleasant.

CUSTOM HOUSE BLANKS for Entry, Outwards, Nos. 48 and 48⅞, for sale in quantities to suit, at *The Colonist* Stationery Store. *

THE steamship Victoria is announced to leave San Francisco for Nanaimo to-day, and the steamship Empire to sail for this port and Departure Bay on the 18th inst.

A BLANK calendar at the Police Court yesterday.

Our City Councillors.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE COLONIST:—Sir—It behoves the people to enquire into the transaction of our City Council. Your report of proceedings at last meeting contains a somewhat startling announcement that the newly-appointed Superintendent of water-works shall be and is entitled to six months' notice, in the event of his services being no longer required. Now, presuming that this officer may fully satisfy our small population and Councillors in point of efficiency and is thoroughly qualified to act in every matter and detail pertaining to mechanical and civil engineering—whether it be water supply or any other supply or works—I, for one taxpayer, decidedly object to being burdened with any officer for six months after knowing that his services can be dispensed with; or, in other words, a grant or gratuity of six months' remuneration being allowed when it is found that his services are no longer required. If this is the rule to be observed for the newly-appointed why not apply the same to other servants of the Council whom we know to be thoroughly qualified for their posts? It appears to me that the movements of our City Council should be thoroughly ventilated. We have elected these gentlemen to act for us in our city regulations, and it is but natural to expect fair and honest dealing with all matters. RATEPAYER.

Trout Fishing.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE COLONIST:—Sir,—With reference to the letter in your paper of yesterday's date signed "Wing Shot," I am surprised that the correspondent should make such futile efforts to underrate his favorite bait by saying the quantity of fish caught by it "amounts to a mere nothing." I feel assured that such cannot be his own experience in its use. From my own observation I am lead to believe that no deadlier bait could be used—a fact well known to old country poachers. I well remember seeing eight boats anchored near one spot in Prospect Lake the occupants whereof were, I believe, all fishing with salmon-roe. An individual in one of the boats—who may or may not have been Mr. "Wing Shot" by the use of a newly cut sapling and unlimited roe—scientifically landed upwards of sixty trout during the afternoon, whilst the occupants of the remaining seven were not far behind. It is a well known fact that our fishing is one great attaction to many tourists and others who annually visit our shores; but should the use of salmon-roe as bait be allowed to continue unchecked this sport will very soon cease to exist, to the detriment not only of fishermen but the public generally. "Wing Shot" can scarcely have failed to observe that whilst he and his *confreres* were using such innocent bait all flies and sportsmanlike bait entirely lost their attraction.

LANDING NET.

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

EXCLUSIVELY TO THE COLONIST, THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

Morning Dispatch.

CANADA.

LUCAN, Feb. 12.—The inquest in the Donnelly murder case began to-day. The physicians who made the post mortem examination testified that the bodies were so badly burned that he could not distinguish male from female and was unable to say positively what was the cause of their death. John Connors, the boy who was in the house at the time of the murder, testified that James Carroll, a constable, called at the house between twelve and two o'clock to arrest old man Donnelly. Besides Carroll he saw Thomas Rydier and John Putell in the house at the time of the murder. He was sure of those being there, having seen their faces.

GERMANY.

BERLIN, Feb. 12.—The *North German Gazette* draws attention to the attitude of the Irish Roman Catholic members of the British Parliament. It says the matter has become serious and a remedy must be sought against the proceedings of this party.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Davitt and Killen, Irish agitators, have visited France and Belgium to collect information with regard to the lands of those countries. In a month a deputation from the Irish Land League, including Davitt, will visit the chief places in France, Germany, Belgium, Italy and Spain. Negotiations are entered into for a series of popular demonstration throughout Great Britain on the land question.

CHINA.

HONGKONG, Jan. 17.—The Governor of Macao is preparing for an official visit to Peking in his subsidiary character of envoy to that capital. He purposes seeing to the Chinese recognition of the Portuguese claim to Macao, which, notwithstanding its occupation during three centuries, is still declared a Chinese possession. In fact, no formal cession, like that of Hongkong to England, has been enacted. Signs at Peking increase of a determination to inaugurate a strong anti-foreign policy.

Viceroy Shen, who died recently at Nanking, left an urgent memorial, now said to be secretly circulating, advocating unbending resistance to the extension of intercourse and pleading for the exclusion of all improvements such as railways or telegraphs of foreign origin. This manifesto produces a great effect, Shen having been an official of powerful influence and a man of high personal character unusually free from the suspicion of corrupt motives or practices. It has double weight coming together with the final success of the Chinese army in Central Asia and the diplomatic triumph as here considered of Chung now at St. Petersburg. No person must expect to see any sudden manifestation. The whole movement will be so regulated as to disarm suspicion if possible both here and elsewhere.

Evening Dispatch.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—It is definitely determined to erect a monument to Prince Louis Napoleon in Westminster Abbey.

The *Times* says the objection of the Irish members that the charge upon the Church fund would really be in aid of the poor rates, and would thus violate an express provision of the Act of 1869, is consistent with the claim made upon the Imperial Exchequer. The measures of the Government are intended only to take effect when the poor law system proves wholly inadequate.

SELLING OFF being the order of the day, I will sell the remainder of my Winter Stock AT COST, consisting in part of Cloth Jackets, Ulsters, Girls' Costumes, Felt and Striped Skirts in great variety, Shawls all Wool and Merino, Hosiery, Dress Goods, &c. Mind the address, J. YORE'S, Fort Street. *

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Make your wife a present of a cooking stove or range manufactured at the Albion Iron Works, and you are bound to have a Christmas and New Year's dinner worth eating.

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1880 Valentines 1880.

The present being Leap Year we have just received the finest and most complete assortment of Valentines and Valentine Cards ever imported into the Province; and as usual at moderate prices.

M. W. WAITT & C

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION—Mrs. Thos. Sidney Wilson wishes to inform those who are desirous of the above that she continues to give lessons at her residence on Frederick street daily after 3 p.m. till 9 p.m., Saturdays excepted, when Mrs. W. can give lessons any hour after 9 a.m. Par of the time devoted to vocal instruction if desired. For terms apply at her residence on Frederick street, near St. Louis College. Mr. T. S. Wilson gives instructions on the Violin, Viola and Flute; copies, transposes and arranges music. *

BROWN & WHITE, importers of Dry-goods, have just received a large addition to their stock, viz., Cashmeres in the newest shades, Trimming Silks, Satins and Velvets to match. A full assortment of mourning goods, comprising Patent and All Silk Crapes, Baratheas, Cashmeres, Paramattas, Drap De Russe, De Cosse Cloth, French Merinos, Twills, &c., Silk Fringes, Gimps, Tassels, and Trimmings in new styles. Lace Curtains and real Crochet Antimacassers, very cheap. Alpaca and Silk Umbrellas in great variety. * BROWN & WHITE, Government St.

MESSRS. BAGNALL & Co. have received by the last steamer sixteen cases of Pianos and Organs by the best German French, American and English makers. These, with Guitars, Banjos, Cornets, Concertinas and Musical Instruments of every kind, they will be glad to exhibit to their customers.

Large Clearing Out Sale of the finest stock of Jewelry ever imported to the Colony. Having determined to close out all articles of Jewelry and also Solid Silver and Electro Plated Ware I now offer my entire stock at COST PRICE. My intention is to continue business in the Watchmaking line only. All goods are marked in plain figures. TERMS CASH.

* G. W. A. LANGE.

THE GREAT CLEARANCE SALE AT LONDON HOUSE WILL CEASE ON THE 14TH INSTANT. AFTER THAT DATE GOODS WILL RESUME THEIR FORMER PRICES.

SHEARS & PARTRIDGE.

February 1st, 1880.

PARTICULAR attention is called to the fine Artificial Teeth made at Dr. COOL'S office upon every base known to the profession. *

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AUCTION SALES.

Auction Sale

The undersigned have received instructions from the mortgagees, J. H. Turner and Richard Carr, Esqrs., to sell by Public Auction at their Salesrooms, Yates street on

Monday February 16th, 1880,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A.M.,

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Will sell at salesroom, Wharf St.,

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AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.

A full assortment of 120 dozen

SCRUB, HORSE, DANDY, STOVE AND SHOE BRUSHES,

Being a straight consignment from the Manufacturers.

BROOMS.

Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Wired and Plain Brooms. WHISPS.

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An invoice of Market, Clothes, Lunch, Butcher's and Nests Baskets.

ON ACCOUNT OF TRESPASS.

By order of Michael Finnerty, Esq., strayed on his Farm, Victoria District, (unless damages and expenses be paid.)

ONE RED COW, with white spots on flank and W cut into one ear. Also, a young Calf.

TERMS AT SALE.

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EMORY is pleasantly situated on the right bank of the Fraser River, at the unobstructed Head of Navigation, the Terminus and Initial Point of Construction of the Canada Pacific Railway in British Columbia.

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The CITY OF EMORY has been admirably laid out, nearly all the Lots having a Double Frontage, and the Main Streets carrying a uniform width of Sixty-Six Feet throughout.

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Four Swift and Commodious Steamers will be placed on the river next season, connecting at New Westminster with the splendid and fast steamers "Princess Louise," "W.G. Hunt" & "Enterprise," thus establishing DAILY STEAMBOAT COMMUNICATION and enabling Passengers, Mails and Freight to reach the Terminus of the Canada Pacific Railway in fourteen hours from Victoria, running time.

Capt. Irving desires us to state that he is now preparing for the immediate construction of WHARF and WAREHOUSE accommodation at the City of Emory to meet the requirements of the immense traffic certain to concentrate there next season.

Mr. Charles Morton is perfecting arrangements and will establish the

EMORY HOUSE

Early next Spring as a first-class Hotel, to meet the requirements of Trade consequent upon the commencement of vigorous Railyay Construction.

Several large Commercial Firms are preparing to establish themselves at Emory early in the coming season.

MAPS of the City of Emory have been carefully prepared and are now ready for FREE distribution, and every facility will be given intending purchasers for obtaining the fullest information.

TERMS—One-half of the purchase-money to be paid down in cash; the balance in sixty days by approved endorsed notes, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum

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Apply to C. F. BEAVEN,
Carriage Builder, Pandora Ave., near City Hall.
ja24 1m

SALE OF BUSINESS.

I HAVE THIS DAY SOLD TO MESSRS. VANvolkenburgh & Co. the business of a butcher carried on by me at Yates street, and known as the Liverpool Market. Thanking my customers for past favors I trust that a continuation of their patronage will be extended to my successors.
JOHN GOODACRE.
Victoria, 21st January, 1880.

REFERRING TO THE ABOVE, WE BEG TO state that we shall conduct a butchering business in all its branches, both wholesale and retail, at the above premises, and that the name of the Market will in future be the BRITISH COLUMBIA MARKET. Notwithstanding the severity of the weather, we shall furnish meats at prices which we trust will be satisfactory to the public generally.
VANVOLKENBURGH & CO.
Victoria, 21st January, 1880. ja22dw

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SAWMILL MACHINERY ALL COMPLETE,

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NOTICE.

In the Estate of A. S. BATES, Deceased, Intestate.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE HONorable the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, dated the 8th January, 1880, made herein:
The undersigned will receive Tenders for the Purchase of the undermentioned Real Estate until MONDAY the 8th day of MARCH next, at 12 o'clock noon, viz:—
The Farm known as the "Sugar Cane Ranch," situate near Williams Lake, containing 941 acres (more or less). Title, Crown Grant.
The Farm known as the "Deep Creek Farm," situate at the 164-Mile Post on the Lillooet-Alexandria Waggon Road, containing 1880 acres (more or less). Title, Pre-emption Record. Certificate of Improvement on 480 acres, and Certificate of Purchase of 1400 acres; half purchase money paid.
The Young Pre-emption, situate in the Valley running to Williams Lake, and adjoining the "Lake Valley Ranch, containing 320 acres.
The Farm known as the "Meason Ranch," situate at Head of Williams Lake, adjoining the "Sugar Cane Ranch," containing 360 acres (more or less). Title, Pre-emption Record and Certificate of Improvement for 160 acres, and Certificate of Purchase 200 acres; half paid.
The property known as the "Carpenter Ranch," situate at the 157-Mile Post on the Lillooet-Alexandria Waggon Road. Title, Conveyance from Assignees of Bankrupt Estate of Evans Brothers.
All Buildings, Fences and Improvements situate on or appurtenant to any of the aforesaid lands will be sold therewith.
Before any Tenders can be accepted it must be submitted to a Judge of the Supreme Court for approval.
Any further information and particulars can be obtained upon application to
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 10th Jan., 1880. ja11dw

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AT HARPER'S CAMP, KAMLOOPS,

A LARGE NUMBER OF HORSES,

Suitable for Road-Teams, Farm and Cart-work.
Apply to ALEXANDER McKWAN,
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FIVE ACRES OF LAND ON THE SAANICH Road, near the City Limits, suitable for a market garden or nursery. Dwelling House and Outhouses attached; two acres under Timothy; all under fence. For particulars apply to
J. H. MELDRUM,
de14*3m Avenue Retreat, Saanich Road.

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THE HALF-WAY HOUSE ON THE ESQUIMALT Road. Apply on the premises.
se30 J. BLAND.

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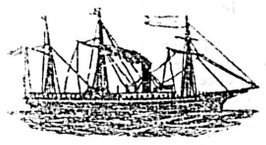

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GENERAL ABSTRACT

SHOWING the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usual weekly statements, during the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1879.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$ 73,705 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 87,133 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	10,603 00	Gold Bullion	11,683 00
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	86,670 00	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	2,132 00
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	240,708 00	Landed and other Property	18,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	184,940 00
		Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	142,000 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$411,686 00	Total Amount of Assets	$445,888 00

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1879 ..... $5,000,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders ..... 5 per cent per annum.
Amount of last Dividend declared for half year ..... $125,000.
Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend ..... $600,000.

VICTORIA, B. C., 21st Jan., 1880.

(Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.
(Signed) JAMES CRAN, Accountant.

I, ROBERT BURNS, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864. (Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 21st day of Jan., 1880.
ja23 (Signed) R. P. RITHET J. P.

EDUCATIONAL.

THE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

WILL RE-OPEN (D. V.) AT 9 O'CLOCK ON Monday morning, 19th January.
Principal, J. B. CHANTRELL,
Ja15 Assistant, H. D. CHANTRELL.

COLLEGIATE SCHOOL.

THE LENT TERM WILL COMMENCE ON FRIday, 16th January, at 9 o'clock.
Entrance examination, 1 o'clock the day previous.
Applications for admission, stating age, certificate of good conduct from last school, to be made to me not later than 14th January.
H. HERBERT MOGG, Principal.
Rae street, Victoria. Ja10

RE-OPENING.

MRS. JESSOP'S EDUCATION CLASSES FOR Young Ladies will re-open on Monday the 5th inst.
YATES STREET, (BET. QUADRA AND VANCOUVER.)
January 1st, 1880. Ja1

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES HAVE BEEN commenced in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.
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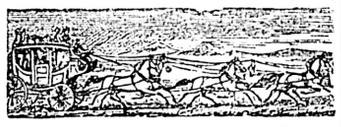

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VICTORIA, B. C. 27th June, 1879.

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GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1879.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
Notes in circulation		$255,129 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver		$158,465 42
Balances due to other Banks and Branches		839 42	Gold Bullion		17,562 66
Deposits not bearing Interest	$761,084 36		Landed and other Property		25,910 08
Deposits bearing Interest	62,416 25		Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 17,066 95	
		$823,500 61	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	417,408 88	
					434,475 83
			All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	711,184 67	
			Do. without the Province	38,787 01	
					749,971 68
Total Amount of Liabilities		$1,079,469 03	Total Amount of Assets		$1,386,385 67

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1879 ..... $1,730,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 5 per cent. per annum.
Amount of last dividend declared 43,250
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend 236,225

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
(Signed) CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 31st Dec., 1879.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."
(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 17th day of January, 1880.
Ja18 (Signed) J. D. PEMBERTON, J. P.

Corporation of Victoria--Cash Statement for the Year ended 31st Dec., 1879

RECEIPTS.			EXPENDITURE.			
Cash on hand 1st Jan., 1879		$ 315 18	Provincial Government—			
Water Works Rents		20,074 90	Account Proportion of Liquor Licenses		$ 1,090 00	
Fire Insurance Rate 1th of 1 per cent		3,479 20	Water Works, General Account		$11,087 30	
Fire Insurance Rate Direct Tax		2,400 00	do $100,000 Sinking Fund		2,360 00	
Proceeds of sale of Police Boat		55 00	do $ 50,000 do		1,750 00	
City Pound Fees	$232 85		do $ 20,000 do		412 00	
Refund of a Horse	50 00	282 85	do $100,000 Interest		5,950 00	
Sidewalks—Refunds		100 50	do $ 50,000 do		3,570 00	
Real Estate Tax		25,353 44	do $ 20,000 do		1,600 00	26,720 30
Trades Licenses	$10,925 00		Fire Insurance Rate 1th of 1 per cent			3,142 07
Less, Refund	5 00	10,920 00	do Direct Tax			1,918 11
Wholesale Liquor Licenses	$ 900 00		Streets and Bridges			13,853 79
Retail do do	10,725 00	11,625 00	City Police			9,133 14
Road Tax		2,638 00	Charges—Salaries, Advertising, Print'g, &c.			4,655 10
Auctioneers' Rate		804 51	Surveyors' Expenses			712 00
Dog Tax		116 30	Board of Health			171 12
Cow Licenses	$576 50		Street Lighting			2,789 67
Less for Tags	82 50	494 00	Sidewalks—Recoverable			328 57
Billiard Tables		85 00	Sewerage			30 00
Weighing Machine	$281 13		Thistles			10 00
Less Repairs	7 50	273 63	Legal Expenses			460 00
Theatre Tax		122 50	Commission on Collections			202 50
Gravel Sales		38 25	Donations			174 00
Police Court Fines and Fees	$833 60		Discount on Silver			459 00
Less Refund	5 00	888 60	General Interest			880 20
Ross Bay Cemetery Fees	$230 69		City Pound			419 87
Sale of Plots	300 00	530 69	Corporation Debentures—			
W. Leigh		278 00	Sinking Fund	$ 918 00		
Bank Account—Increase of Overdraft		279 40	Interest	1,601 60	2,519 60	
			Ross Bay Cemetery—			
			Salary, &c.	$257 50		
			Interest	162 40	419 00	
			Certificates of Indebtedness Redeemed		3,756 68	
			Office Furniture		244 00	
			New City Hall		2,772 14	
			City Survey		1,063 08	
			Gas Company, for Street Lamps		440 00	
			M. S. Underwood, for Wooden Pipes		271 25	
			Isaac Burlingame do		928 75	
			Bank Fire Acct., Increase of Balance		344 60	
			Cash on Hand		227 72	
		$81,055 25				$81,055 25

THOS. RUSSELL, Accountant.
J. C. BALES, Auditor.

VICTORIA, B. C., 7th January, 1880.

Corporation of Victoria, 31st December, 1879---Cash Statement.

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.		
Uncollected taxes	$9,073 63	Provincial Government—	$	
Bank fire account on deposit	836 35	Proportion of liquor licenses	$3,770	
Sidewalks, recoverable	350 37	Cement for Water Works	1,566	5,336 00
W. Leigh, balance of account	364 83	Bank account, overdraft		1,380 40
Cash on hand	227 72	Fire Insurance rate, balance due		842 16
Balance in part of expenditure not hitherto charged until the following year	3,138 21	Certificates of indebtedness given to cover certain outstanding accounts bearing interest at 7 per cent. per annum		3,742 25
		Sundry small outstanding accounts		930 72
		Salaries for December		1,759 58
	$13,991 11			$13,991 11

THOS. RUSSELL, Accountant,
J. C. BALES, Auditor.

VICTORIA, B. C., 7th January, 1880.

Victoria Water Works--Balance Sheet, 30th November, 1879.

Folio.	ASSETS.		Folio.	LIABILITIES.	
31	Bank B.N.A. Sinking Fund Acct.	$ 14,424 85	27	Interest and Sinking Fund	$ 14,424 85
34	Corporation of Victoria	5,902 04	33	Debenture Account	162,500 00
39	Construction Account	194,424 80	42	Revenue Account	30,326 84
			53	Redeemed Debentures	7,500 00
		$214,751 69			$214,751 69

THOS. RUSSELL, Accountant
J. C. BALES, Auditor.

VICTORIA, B. C., 1st December, 1879.

Statement of Revenue Collected and Disbursed from 1st December, 1878, to 31st December, 1879.--13 Months.

RECEIPTS.		DISBURSEMENTS.		
Water Rents Collected	$21,301 40	Construction Account—		
		Main Pipes	$5,187 84	
		Dam & Filters, includ'g cement	4,530 90	
		Compensation Claims	351 00	$10,069 74
		Service Pipes Account		1,221 99
		Charges Account—Maintenance, being repairs to Main Pipes, &c.		1,504 72
		Salaries		3,850 00
		Corporation of Victoria		4,624 95
	$21,301 40			$21,301 40

THOS. RUSSELL, Water Commissioner and Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 7th January, 1880.

Interest and Sinking Fund Account.

Nov. 30, 1878. RECEIPTS.		Nov. 30, 1878. DISBURSEMENTS.	
Balance at Cr. of Account	$ 9,268 29	Paid Interest for Coupons presented bet. 1st December, 1878, and 30th Nov., 1879	$10,980 00
Cash received from the Corporation of Victoria, between 1st Dec., 1878, and 30th Nov., 1879, to pay Interest on Loans	10,080 00	Balance to Acct. of Sinking Fund	14,424 85
Do. do. Sinking Fund on Loans	4,604 82		
Interest allowed by Bank British North America on amounts at credit of Sinking Fund	551 74		
	$25,404 85		$25,404 85

THOS. RUSSELL, Water Commissioner and Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 1st December, 1879.

COUNCIL CHAMBERS, Victoria, 8th January, 1879.

To the Worshipful the Mayor and City Councillors:—

GENTLEMEN,—In presenting statements of receipts and expenditure, cash assets and liabilities, and ledger balance sheet, I have to direct your attention in particular to the expenditure of 1879. This expenditure, embracing 13 months, includes outstanding accounts for December, 1878, and arrears of previous months, amounting in all to $7,622 37. The Corporation books now contain all known liabilities to 31st December, 1879, therefore, the present Statement shows 13 months' general expenditure and some arrears.

The excess of liabilities as shown on 31st December, 1879, in the Statement of cash assets and liabilities being $3,138 25 only, and the excess of payments during the year $7,622 37, it follows that your affairs are in a sound condition, as without such payments there would be a balance in favor of 1879 of $4,484 16.

As the Cash Statement does not show the actual expenditure on many important accounts to the close of the year the following entries, taken from the transfers to close, will supply that deficiency, *i. e.*,

Street Repairs	$17,136 36
City Police	9,087 47
Charges	5,153 64
Street Lighting, 14 months,	3,846 32
Legal expenses	610 00
Water Works	16,222 13
	$52,054 92

The difference between the actual expenditure as above and the cash expenditure as shown in the Statement is $10,075 83, which will account for the bulk of the liabilities of the Corporation at this date (31st of December, 1879).

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Yours, most obediently,
J. C. BALES, Auditor.

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NOTICES.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS

In the matter of DAVID HEAL, an Insolvent.

THE UNDERSIGNED (THOS. H. TYE, OF VICtoria,) have been appointed Assignee in this matter.
Creditors are requested to file their claims before me within one month.
THOS. H. TYE,
Trade Assignee.
Victoria, Jan. 6th, 1880. ja7

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS

In the matter of URIAH WARD, an Insolvent.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS BEEN ISSUed in this cause, and the Creditors are notified to meet at my office, in the City of Victoria, B. C., on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1880, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an Assignee if they see fit.
C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, January 3d, 1880. ja11

NOTICE.

MISS E. JONES, LONDON BAZAAR, HAVING disposed of the business to Mr. T. Carrington, all accounts due her up to December 31st, 1879, must be paid on or before March 1st, 1880. Mr. T. Carrington will receive monies and give receipts for the above accounts. ja22

PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY ADMITTED MR. JOHN W. FINLAYSON into partnership with with me in my business of Real Estate and Insurance Agent, &c., and the same will in future be carried on under the name of H. F. HEISTERMAN & COMPANY.
H. F. HEISTERMAN.
31st January, 1880. fe1

In the Goods of William Owens, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE, ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INdebted to or have claims against the Estate of William Owens, late of Cassiar, deceased, are requested to pay such indebtedness to the undersigned and to leave their claims with him.
Victoria, 17th January, 1880.
WM. POLLARD,
Langley st., Victoria, Administrator's Solicitor.
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